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FOR CHARGE

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SUBJECT: GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR AMBASSADORS

REF: STATE 202267

1. FOLLOWING IS SUBJECT DRAFT (REFTEL) FOR YOUR COMMENT
AND SUGGESTED CHANGES, WHICH SHOULD BE CABLED TO DEPART-
MENT ASAP BUT NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 6.

2. PROTECTION OF U.S. STRATEGIC INTERESTS.

-- ENCOURAGE GUINEA TO KEEP PRESIDENT TOURE'S PROMISE
TO DENY CONAKRY TO SOVIET TU-95 FLIGHTS.

-- URGE GUINEA TO ADHERE STRICTLY TO ITS SELF-PROFESSED
NON-ALIGNMENT.

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-- SEEK OVER LONG TERM TO REDUCE SOVIET MILITARY PRESENCE
IN GUINEA, INCLUDING NAVAL DEPLOYMENTS.

3. SUPPORT FOR U.S. ECONOMIC INTERESTS.

-- PROMOTE AND PROTECT MAJOR U.S. PRIVATE INVESTMENT AND
ENCOURAGE GUINEA'S RECEPTIVE ATTITUDE.

-- ASSURE CONTINUED U.S. ACCESS TO GUINEA'S RICH MINERAL DEPOSITS.

4. IMPROVEMENT OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION AND PROMOTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS GOALS.

-- PROMOTE AN OBJECTIVE, UNOBTRUSIVE INVESTIGATION OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION IN GUINEA BY A REPUTABLE INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION.

-- ENCOURAGE THE RELEASE OF POLITICAL DETAINEES.

-- ASSIST GUINEA IN OVERCOMING ITS PROBLEMS IN FEEDING ITS POPULATION THROUGH THE PROVISION OF PL-480 TITLE I COMMODITIES AND AGRICULTURAL TRAINING.

5. SUSTAINING THE TREND TOWARDS IMPROVING RELATIONS.

-- ASSIST AND FACILITATE GUINEA'S EFFORTS TO ATTRACT GREATER PRIVATE INVESTMENT.

-- SEEK OPPORTUNITIES TO EXPAND OUR CULTURAL AND SPORTS EXCHANGES WITH GUINEA.

6. FOSTERING REGIONAL COOPERATION.
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-- ENCOURAGE GUINEA'S PARTICIPATION IN REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, ESPECIALLY ECOWAS.

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